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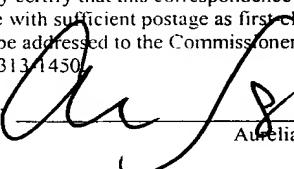
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Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM OF TRANSITIVE  
MATCHING FOR OBJECT RECOGNITION, IN  
PARTICULAR FOR BIOMETRIC SEARCHES

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Dear Sir:

Attached is Form PTO-1050 (Certificate of Correction) at least one copy of which is suitable for printing.

A mistake of a clerical or typographical nature, or minor in character appears in the above-referenced patent; however, the mistake occurred in good faith. The correction introduces no new matter nor requires reexamination.

The errors together with the exact page and line number where the errors appear in the application file are as follows:

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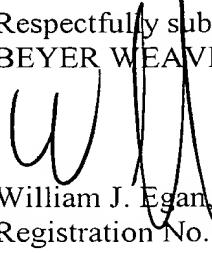
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**CLAIMS:**

1. In line 10 of claim 1 (column 15, line 1) change “sample modes” to --sample space modes--. This appears correctly in the Amendment as filed on December 27, 2004, on page 8, paragraph 1, line 2, as claim 49.
2. In line 7 of claim 3 (column 15, line 35) change “samples elements” to --sample elements--. This appears correctly in the Amendment as filed December 27, 2004, on page 2, paragraph 2, line 5, as claim 7.
3. In line 3 of claim 7 (column 16, line 3) change “recognitions pace” to --recognition space--. This appears correctly in the Amendment as filed on December 27, 2004, on page 3, paragraph 4, line 2, as claim 11.
4. In line 9 of claim 8 (column 16, line 13) change “the sample” to --the samples--. This appears correctly in the Amendment as filed on December 27, 2004, on page 3, paragraph 5, line 5, as claim 12.
5. In line 10 of claim 17 (column 17, line 5) change “spaces sores” to --space scores--. This error appears in the Amendment as filed on December 27, 2004, on page 5, paragraph 2, line 6, as claim 26.
6. In line 19 of claim 20 (column 17, line 36) change “samples databases” to --sample databases--. This appears correctly in the Amendment as filed on December 27, 2004, on page 6, paragraph 1, line 12, as claim 35.
7. In line 32 of claim 20 (column 18, line 1) change “begin defined” to --being defined--. This error appears in the Amendment as filed on December 27, 2004, on page 6, paragraph 1, line 19, as claim 35.

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

**In the Claims:**

In line 10 of claim 1 (column 15, line 1) "sample modes" should be --sample space modes--.

In line 7 of claim 3 (column 15, line 35) "samples elements" should be --sample elements--.

In line 3 of claim 7 (column 16, line 3) "recognition pace" should be --recognition space--.

In line 9 of claim 8 (column 16, line 13) "the sample" should be --the samples--.

In line 10 of claim 17 (column 17, line 5) "spaces sores" should be --space scores--.

In line 19 of claim 20 (column 17, line 36) "samples databases" should be --sample databases--.

In line 32 of claim 20 (column 18, line 1) "begin defined" should be --being defined--.

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